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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the (X) utility, () design, () plant patent application of:

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For: **REAR CASING ARRANGEMENT FOR MAGNETIC DRIVE PUMP**

Enclosed are:

(X) 19 page(s) of specification

(X) 4 page(s) of claims

(X) 1 page(s) Abstract

(X) Executed Declaration & Power of Attorney

(X) 3 sheet(s) of (X) formal drawings

(X) An assignment of the application to IWAKI CO., LTD.

() Preliminary Amendment

() Information Disclosure Statement

() Associate Power of Attorney

() Applicant is a Small Entity

The filing fee is calculated as follows:

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| FOR | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | RATE | | AMOUNT |
| | | | LARGE ENTITY | SMALL ENTITY | |
| Basic Fee Utility | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$770.00 | \$385.00 | \$770.00 |
| Design | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$340.00 | \$170.00 | |
| Plant | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$530.00 | \$265.00 | |
| Total Claims | 6 - 20 = | | x \$18.00 | x \$9.00 | |
| Independent Claims | 2 - 3 = | | x \$86.00 | x \$43.00 | |
| Multiple Dependency | | | \$290.00 | \$145.00 | |
| Late Fee Surcharge | | | \$130.00 | \$65.00 | |
| Non-English Language Fee | | | \$130.00 | \$130.00 | |
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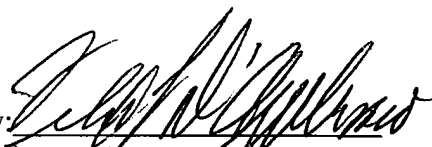


- (X) A check in the amount of \$ 810.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed (Check #18494).
- () Please charge Dep. Account No. ____ in the amount of \$ ____.
- () This application is filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53, and does not include:
- () Declaration
- () Filing Fee
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1213. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- () The Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).
- (X) Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following:

| Serial No. | Date Filed | Country |
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| <u>2003-078696</u> | <u>March 20, 2003</u> | <u>Japan</u> |
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- (X) Certified copy (copies) enclosed.

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